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Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application



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Assignment Papers (for an Application)



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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	17	- 20 =		X		Fee Paid
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1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
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1205	18	2205	9	**Reseaus claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
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1612 2520	1612 2520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
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1805 1840*	1805 1840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1281 110	2281 55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252 420	2252 210	Extension for reply within second month	
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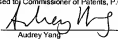
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